GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:335
ANSWERED ON:08.12.2016
Damages Imposed on Private Companies
Yadav Shri Laxmi Narayan

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether damages/penalties are imposed on private companies for failure to carry out their works as per the provisions of the contract regarding the maintenance and repair of the National Highways and if so, the details thereof;

(b) the damages and penalties imposed on private companies during the last three years, company-wise along with the location at which these companies were working; and

(c) the remedial measures taken to ensure quality work at the time of maintenance and repair as per the contract?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

(a) to (c) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.335 FOR ANSWER ON 08.12.2016 ASKED BY SHRI LAXMI NARAYAN YADAV REGARDING DAMAGES IMPOSED ON PRIVATE COMPANIES.

(a) to (c) Construction and maintenance of National Highways by the contractor/concessionaire is done as per provisions made in the contract/concession agreement. Adequate provision are there regarding maintaining standard of road quality and imposition of penalty in case of default. Supervision consultant/ Independent Engineer etc. are responsible for monitoring, as per provisions made in agreement. However, in some cases violations have been observed and penalty/damages imposed on private companies/ Concessionaires are enclosed as Annexure-I.